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AMERICAN BUSINESS CONFERENCE, INC.

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The Honorable William Casey Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, DC 20505

Dear Mr. Casey:

As you know, the American Business Conference is a coalition of the Chief Executive Officers of 100 mid-sized, high growth companies. These firms have annual revenues between \$25 million and \$2 billion, and each has doubled in size over the last five years. The CEO's who are members of the American Business Conference are successful entrepreneurs who have prospered and helped to build the greatest period of economic growth in our history. Their firms represent the winners of the American free enterprise system.

The members of the ABC represent a broad spectrum of the American electorate. They operate firms in almost every industry: manufacturing, retailing, services, energy, finance, high tech and communications. Additionally, ABC companies have facilities in nearly every state. We are proud to include Robert A. Mosbacher of Mosbacher Production Company and Gordon C. Luce of Great American Federal among our members. Arthur Levitt, Jr., the Chairman of the American Stock Exchange, also serves as our Chairman.

Our members come to Washington twice a year to present their ideas and offer their input on pressing public policy issues. They are entrepreneurs, who in most cases began their companies with little more than their own determination and creativity. They concentrate on broad-based issues, rather than on individual concerns, in an effort to improve incentives for economic growth.

Our members come away from these meetings with new ideas and an even stronger desire to work with the Administration to improve the economic climate of this great country. At our most recent Annual Meeting, we were privileged to meet with Secretary Caspar Weinberger, Secretary Bill Clark, Secretary Donald Regan,

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Secretary Malcolm Baldrige, Secretary Margaret Heckler, Ambassador Bill Brock, Edwin Meese, Majority Leader Howard Baker, Chairman Pete Domenici, and Chairman Bob Dole.

Our membership thoroughly enjoyed their meeting with you in March, 1983, and I would like to invite you to a follow-up meeting with a group of ABC members on March 12 or 13, 1985, for an informal breakfast or luncheon and a face-to-face discussion of issues affecting our economy.

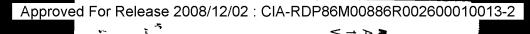
I look forward to hearing from you.

Best wishes,

John M. Albertine

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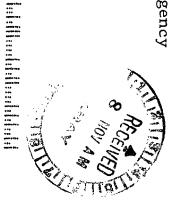


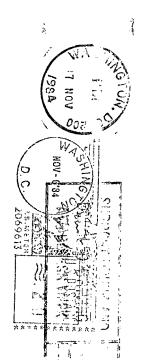
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